



Tom Chvala

Tom's character and friendly personality make him a great role model for others. Tom has been an active participant of the Wisconsin Senior Olympics for over 10 years and has proudly served on the WSO Board of Directors for 9 years. He is committed to volunteering his service at Miller Park in the concession stands during Milwaukee Brewer baseball games. His dependable service was essential to the fundraising efforts of the organization.

In 2007, Tom was chosen as the representative from Wisconsin to carry the flag at the National Senior Games Opening Ceremonies in Louisville, Kentucky. This exclusive honor is awarded to WSO participants that have demonstrated significant dedication to the organization and can represent Wisconsin Senior Olympics in a dignified manner. Tom volunteers his time helping others have a better quality of life at St. Alphonsus Parish, St. Benedict the Moor Community Meal Program, St. Vincent DePaul Bread Run, Badgerland Striders and the Greendale Lions Club. He contributes time, energy and spirit serving these community organizations.

Mr. Chvala is a very humble man. He is loyal and is often the first to ask if he can be of assistance. Tom's story is pretty remarkable having recovered from being in a coma for 6 weeks after he had been struck by a car while running in 1989. This demonstration of his resiliency and passion for improving his quality of life can also be seen in his volunteer efforts.

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